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RE: Application to Increase Maximum Rates on Obsolete Residential Calling Plans on behalf of Qwest LD Corp., T-04190A

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to R14-2-1110, Qwest LD Corp. hereby submits this application to increase the maximum tariffed rates for a competitive telecommunications service. Qwest applies to increase the maximum monthly charges for various obsolete residential calling plans. As grounds therefore, Qwest states as follows:

Reasons for Rate Increase

The new rates requested by Qwest are just and reasonable. In a competitive market, such as the residential direct dialed long distance market, if a customer does not agree that the rate charged is fair and reasonable, that customer can choose a new provider.

Customer Notification

Qwest has properly notified its customers of the proposed increases consistent with the Commission's requirements. See notice and affidavit of mailing attached as Exhibit 1.

Schedule of Current and Proposed Maximum Rates

The table below sets out the current and proposed maximum rates.

	Current Maximum Monthly Rate	Proposed Maximum Monthly
	Per Account	Rate Per Account
QLDC 10 Cent Single Rate Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Saver Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 7 Cent Preferred Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Unlimited Long Distance Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Preferred Unlimited	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Anywhere	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 7 Cent Anywhere	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Preferred	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Choice Long Distance	\$0.99	\$1.99

Estimated Revenues

The additional estimated potential annual revenue to be derived from the proposed increases is shown in Confidential Exhibit 2, which has been redacted for filing with Docket Control, but will be provided separately to Staff.

Proposed Effective Date

The proposed effective date for this change is March 10, 2007. This change will only go into effect upon approval from the Commission.

Revised Tariff Pages

Attached as Exhibit 3 to this application are the tariff pages, an original and fourteen (14) copies to Qwest LD Corp.'s ("QLDC") Tariff No.2.

For the foregoing reasons, Qwest respectfully requests that the Commission approve Qwest's request to increase its maximum rates on the obsolete residential long distance calling plans listed above. If you have any questions concerning this matter please contact Sharon Alvarado at 303-896-0845.

Sincerely,

Sharon Alvarado

Regulatory Support Manager

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Enclosures

BEFORE THE ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF QWEST'S PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF AN INCREASE TO MAXIMUM RATES FOR COMPETITIVE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

AFFIDAVIT OF Sharon Alvarado

STATE OF
COUNTY OF <u>Nexuel</u>) ss.
I, <u>Sharon Alvarado</u> , being duly sworn, depose and state that I am the individual who hereby verify that the attached notice for the proposed increases to maximum rates reflected in the Arizona Qwest LD Corp.'s Tariff No. 2 are being distributed via bill message beginning January 11, 2007 to all potentially impacted residence customers in Arizona.
Date: January 15, 2007
(name of individual)
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this Stage day of Survey. Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 09/24/09 (SEAL) JESSE

AZ QLDC

Qwest has petitioned the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) to increase the maximum rate for the Interstate Service Fee (ISF) on your Qwest Choice™ Long Distance service to \$1.99 a month from its actual, current rate of \$0.99, effective March 10, 2007. The change in the ISF will not affect the monthly cap on your long-distance plan, which remains just \$20 (taxes, surcharges, and international calls are extra).

These changes will be voted on at a future open Commission meeting; they will only become effective upon approval by the Commission.

AZ QLDC

Qwest has petitioned the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) to increase the maximum rate for the Interstate Service Fee (ISF) on your Qwest long-distance service to \$1.99 a month from its actual, current rate of \$0.99, effective March 10, 2007. These changes will be voted on at a future open Commission meeting; they will only become effective upon approval by the Commission.

We're committed to making sure you're on the best plan for you, and we continue to offer one of the lowest rates in the market. Call today for a free account review to help determine if you're getting the most for your money.

QLDC Increase to maximum fees.

The table below sets out the current and proposed rates.

	Current	Proposed
	Maximum	Maximum
	Monthly	Monthly
	Rate Per	Rate Per
	Account	Account
QLDC 10 Cent Single Rate Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Saver Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 7 Cent Preferred Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Unlimited Long Distance Plan	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Preferred Unlimited	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Anywhere	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 7 Cent Anywhere	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC 5 Cent Preferred	\$0.99	\$1.99
QLDC Choice Long Distance	\$0.99	\$1.99

Estimated potential annual revenues are \$REDACTED.

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103. OBSOLETE LONG DISTANCE SERVICE OFFERINGS

103.2 CALLING PLANS

103.2.1 QWEST 10 CENT SINGLE RATE PLAN

A. Description

The QWEST 10 CENT SINGLE RATE PLAN offering will allow a residential customer to complete calls between any two points within the state.

B. Terms and Conditions

- 1. This plan is provided in conjunction with interstate *QWEST 10 CENT SINGLE RATE PLAN* that has monthly recurring fees. The monthly recurring fees, set forth below, will apply for this intrastate plan. These fees are identical to, and shall not be in addition to, any monthly recurring fees applicable to the corollary interstate plan for long distance calling.
- 2. QWEST 10 CENT SINGLE RATE PLAN is only available when the customer subscribes to a Qwest Corporation local exchange access line.
- 3. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.

	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
All Time PeriodsPer Minute	\$0.30	\$0.30
With a qualifying Qwest Wireless ServiceWeeknights and Weekends	\$0.30	\$0.30
	MAXII Monthl	
Monthly FeePer LinePer Account	\$15. 1.	00 99 (I)

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103.2 CALLING PLANS (CONT'D) 103.2.2 QWEST 5 CENT SAVER PLAN

Rates and Charges		
	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
 All Time Periods Per Minute	\$0.15	\$0.15
• With a qualifying Qwest Wireles Service	SS	
- Weeknights and Weekends	\$0.15	\$0.15
	Maximum Ai Minimum Usage	
Minimum Usage Requirement	\$20.	00
	MAXII Monthl	
• Per Account	\$1.	99 (I)

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103.2 CALLING PLANS (CONT'D)

103.2.3 QWEST 7 CENT PREFERRED PLAN

A. Description

The Qwest 7 Cent Preferred Plan offering will allow a residential customer to complete calls between any two points within the state. The Qwest 7 Cent Preferred Plan offering provides the customer with lower per minute rates where the customer has subscribed to qualifying Qwest Corporation packaged products and services.

B. Terms and Conditions

- 1. This plan is provided in conjunction with interstate Qwest 7 Cent Preferred Plan that has monthly recurring fees. The monthly recurring fees, set forth below, will apply for this intrastate plan. These fees are identical to, and shall not be in addition to, any monthly recurring fees applicable to the corollary interstate plan for long distance calling.
- 2. This plan is only available when the customer has subscribed to a Retail Qwest Corporation local exchange access line.[1]
- 3. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.

C. Rates and Charges

	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
All Time PeriodsPer Minute	\$0.21	\$0.21
• With a qualifying Qwest Wire Service	less	
- Weeknights and Weekends	\$0.21	\$0.21
	Maxii Monthl	
Monthly FeePer LinePer Account	\$15.0 1.9	0 9 (I)

[1] See Qwest Corporation Exchange and Network Services Price Cap Tariff, Section 5.9.

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103.2.4 OWEST UNLIMITED LONG DISTANCE PLAN

- B. Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)
 - 6. If the customer's usage exceeds 5,000 Minutes Of Use in any month, the customer shall be presumed to be in violation of the applicable restrictions and it shall be the responsibility of the customer to demonstrate to the Company that the customer's use was not a violation of any of the restrictions.
 - 7. The Company may take any other action permitted by this Tariff and applicable laws and regulations where misuse, abuse, improper use or a violation hereof is detected.
 - 8. Call detail is not provided unless specifically requested by the customer in writing. Provision of call detail may be subject to a separate charge.
 - 9. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.
- C. Rates and Charges

MAXIMUM	MAXIMUM
INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE

- All Time Periods
 - Per Minute
- With a qualifying Qwest Wireless Service
- Weeknights and Weekends

\$0.15

\$0.15

MAXIMUM MONTHLY RATE

- Monthly Fee
 - Per Line

With Call Detail

- Per Account

\$69.90

69.90

1.99 (I)

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103. OBSOLETE LONG DISTANCE SERVICE OFFERINGS

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103.2.5 *QWEST PREFERRED UNLIMITED*

- B. Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)
 - 6. If the customer's usage exceeds 5,000 Minutes Of Use in any month, the customer shall be presumed to be in violation of the applicable restrictions, and it shall be the responsibility of the customer to demonstrate to the Company that the customer's use was not a violation of any of the restrictions.
 - 7. The Company may take any other action permitted by this Tariff and applicable laws and regulations where misuse, abuse, improper use or a violation hereof is detected.
 - 8. Call detail is not provided unless specifically requested by the customer, in writing. Provision of call detail may be subject to a separate charge.
 - 9. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.
- C. Rates and Charges

MAXIMUM	MAXIMUM	
INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE	

- All Time Periods
 - Per Minute
- With a qualifying Qwest Wireless Service
- Weeknights and Weekends

\$0.15

\$0.15

MAXIMUM MONTHLY RATE

- Monthly Fee
 - Per Line
 - Call Detail
 - Per Account

\$60.00

60.00

1.99 (I)

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103.2 CALLING PLANS (CONT'D)

103.2.19 QWEST 5 CENT ANYWHERE PLAN

A. Description

The QWEST 5 CENT ANYWHERE PLAN offering will allow a residential customer to complete calls between any two points within the state.

B. Terms and Conditions

- 1. This plan is provided in conjunction with interstate *QWEST 5 CENT ANYWHERE PLAN* that has monthly recurring fees. The monthly recurring fees, set forth below, will apply for this intrastate plan. These fees are identical to, and shall not be in addition to, any monthly recurring fees applicable to the corollary interstate plan for long distance calling.
- 2. *QWEST 5 CENT ANYWHERE PLAN* is only available when the customer subscribes to a Retail Qwest Corporation local exchange access line.
- 3. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.

	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
 All Time Periods Per Minute	\$0.15	\$0.15
• With a qualifying Qwest Wireless Service	SS	
- Weeknights and Weekends	\$0.15	\$0.15
	Maxii Monthl	
 Monthly Fee 		
- Per Line	\$5.0	0
- Per Account	1.9	9 (I)

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103.2 CALLING PLANS (CONT'D)

103.2.22 **QWEST 7 CENT ANYWHERE PLAN**

A. Description

The Qwest 7 Cent Anywhere Plan offering will allow a residential customer to complete calls between any two points within the state.

B. Terms and Conditions

- 1. This plan is provided in conjunction with interstate Qwest 7 Cent Anywhere Plan that has monthly recurring fees. The monthly recurring fees, set forth below, will apply for this intrastate plan. These fees are identical to, and shall not be in addition to, any monthly recurring fees applicable to the corollary interstate plan for long distance calling.
- 2. The monthly rate for this plan is noted0 in the Qwest Long Distance Interstate and International Rates and Services Schedule #1.
- 3. Qwest 7 Cent Anywhere Plan is only available when the customer subscribes to a Retail Qwest Corporation local exchange access line.
- 4. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.

	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
All Time PeriodsPer Minute	\$0.21	\$0.21
With a qualifying Qwest Wirel ServiceWeeknights and Weekends	\$0.21	\$0.21
Monthly Fee	MAXII MONTHL	
- Per Line - Per Account	\$6. 1.	00 99 (I)

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103.2.23 QWEST 5 CENT PREFERRED PLAN

A. Description

The Qwest 5 Cent Preferred Plan offering will allow a residential customer to complete calls between any two points within the state.

B. Terms and Conditions

- 1. This plan is provided in conjunction with interstate Qwest 5 Cent Preferred Plan that has monthly recurring fees. The monthly recurring fees, set forth below, will apply for this intrastate plan. These fees are identical to, and shall not be in addition to, any monthly recurring fees applicable to the corollary interstate plan for long distance calling.
- 2. The monthly rate for this plan is noted in the Qwest Long Distance Interstate and International Rates and Services Schedule #1.
- 3. Qwest 5 Cent Preferred Plan is only available when the customer subscribes to a qualifying Retail Qwest Corporation local exchange access package.
- 4. The Company may offer free calls between any two points within the state during nights and weekends for residential customers and is provided in conjunction with qualifying Qwest Wireless services. Weeknights: Monday Friday, 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m. Weekends: Saturday Sunday, Day: 7:00a.m. 7:00p.m.; Night: 7:00p.m. 7:00a.m.

Rates and Charges		
	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
• All Time Periods - Per Minute	\$0.15	\$0.15
With a qualifying Qwest Wirel ServiceWeeknights and Weekends	\$0.15	\$0.15
	MAXII Monthl	
Monthly FeePer LinePer Account	\$6. 1.	00 99 (I)

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103.2 CALLING PLANS 103.2.25 QWEST CHOICE LONG DISTANCE – RESIDENCE (CONT'D)

	MAXIMUM INTERLATA RATE	MAXIMUM INTRALATA RATE
All Time Periods		*
- Per Minute (up to 400 minutes		\$0.15
- Per Minute (401 + minutes)	0.00	0.00
With a qualifying Qwest Wireless Service		
- Weeknights and Weekends	\$0.15	\$0.15
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Mandalas Das		
• Monthly Fee	#2	20
- Per Line	\$2.0	UU .
- Per Account	1.9	99 (1)